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TELEGRAMS.

Good Work by the Navy.

[Reuter's Service to The "Telegraph."]

London, Jane 14. In the House of Commons, Mr. Bonar Law announced that the Navy had destroyed Zoppelin L.42 in the North Ses,

No Survivors,

Later. An official announcement states that no survivors of the L.42 east of Ploegeteert Wood. have been seen.

How the Zeppelin Met Her Fate.

London, June 14.

In the House of Commons, Mr. Bonsr Law said that the Zappelin was destroyed this morning. Soon after being attacked, it burst into flumes fore and aft, broke in two, and fell into the sea.

THE GREEK ABDICATION.

London and Paris Greatly Relieved.

London, June 13. There is general relief felt here and in Paris at the abdication

of King Constantine. It is emphasised that thereby the Allies' position at Salonica is | we are steadily bombarding his new positions. immensely strengthened, while a great blow has been struck at German influence and intrigue in the Mediterraneau.

French newspapers foreshadow the possibility of M. Venizalos being ultimately Premier, and urge the internment of several leading bostile personages still remaining in Athens.

· A Greek General's Treachery.

London, June 14. Renter's correspondent at Scionica says that the operations in Theesaly continued on Monday night. E assons and Tirnovo were occupied quietly.

the Greek General Baivas said there would not be any recistance but a Greek Colonel treacherously ordered the troops posted behind the barracks to fire. French cavalry replied, and a fusilade lasted until ten o'clock in the morning. Six French were killed, and 20 wounded. The Greek casualties were sixty, besides which two Colonels, filty-one officers and 269 men were taken prisoners. General Baivas has been arrested.

Constantine's Preclamation.

London, June 14.

Renter's correspondent at Athens says that ex-King Constantine has issued a Proclamation stating:-" Obeying necessity and fulfilling my duty towards Greece, I am departing from my beloved country with the Heir to the Throne, leaving my sin Alexander on the Throne. I beg you to accept my decision calmly, as the slightest incident may lead to a great catastrophe."

GERMAN PEACE TALK.

President Wilson on Its Object.

London, Juna 14. According to Renter's correspondent at Washington, President Wilson, in his "Flag Day" address in Washington Monument Grounds, warned the American people that Germany, having carried out the greater part of her immediate plan of conquest, was intriguing for peace with the object of securing to the neighbouring mills, workshops and dwellings. her aggressions. He emphasised that the peace of which the Wilhelmstrae-e had been talking for over a year was not peace upon Germany's own initiative, but upon the initiative of nations over which Germany now thought she had the advantage. A little of the peace talk, continued the President, had been public, but most of it was private. It had come through to him through all sorts of channels and in all sorts of guises, but Garmany's terms were never

THE UNREST IN CHINA.

Suggested Joint Declaration by Allies.

London, June 13.

Reuter understands that the United States has addressed a Note to the Allies and China, deploring the internal dissensions in China, urging the necessity of national unity, and proposing that some form of joint declaration shall be addressed to Chine.

Serious Trouble Expected.

London, Jane 14. Renier's correspondent at Peking states that Chiang, Chaotung, the Ohief of Police, has accepted the acting Premiership and has countersigned the Presidential Mandate dissolving Parliament.

It is believed that the dissolution will result in serious complications, the Southern Provinces having telegraphed to the President that they will not recognise his authority.

THE ITALIAN FRONT.

Surprise Enemy Attack Fails.

London, Jane 14. An Italian official message states: -Tue enemy made a surprise of attack on our new positions at Mount Ortigara and the Asiago states that everything depends upon the decision of the Union. Plateau, but the surprise failed. He then attacked in force with extreme violence, but was thrown back in disorder with heavy loss, We frustrated several surprise attacks on the Julian Front.

TELEGRAMS.

[Reuter's Service to The "Telegraph."]

FRESH BRITISH ADVANCE.

Enemy Abandons Important Sections.

London, June 14. Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, in a communique, states :- A farther advance to the east of Messines, combined with pressure from the couthern front of our attack, compelled the enemy to abandon important sections of the first line, between the Lys River and St. Yves.

We followed up the enemy closely, and considerably progressed We also gained ground near Ospaard, and carried out raids

north of Bullecourt and south of Hooge.

The Germans Still Retiring.

London, June 14. Reuter's correspondent at Headquarters states that the effect

of the victory at Messines continues to develop.

The enemy withdrawal is extending southward, and we now occupy the German front-line trenches from Ploegsteert Wood to the bank of the River Lys, where it beads sharply to the west, nearly midway to Armentieres.

. The German heavy shells are generally falling from the extreme range, in licating that the enemy has withdrawn his big guns as far as possible without actually putting them out of action.

Our patrol- are haras ing the enemy as much as possible, and

The country over which the Germans are now retiring is low and marshy, but owing to the long drought our progress at present is not difficult.

The strategic situation is assuming a phase full of most interesting possibilities.

THE PETROGRAD CONFERENCE,

Instructions to An American Delegate,

London, June 14. According to Renter's correspondent at Washington, Mr. Lariess was surrounded by cavalry on Tuesday morning, and Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labour, has cabled Mr. Duncan, L bour Dilegate of the American Mussion to Ruesis, advising him to attend if invited to the conference at Petrograd to consider the advisability of calling a World Congress of Socialists and Trades Unionists. The message continues :- "Of course, you will insist on an acceptance of the fundamental principles of democracy for every country, also the necessity for all people of each country living their own lives and working out their own destinies. America entered the war in order to sufeguard these principles. American labour will fight for the destruction of autocracy, and will fight for the maintainance of democracy.

THE MUNITIONS EXPLOSION.

Fifty Killed and Many Inju ed.

London, June 14. In the House of Commons, Mr. Bonar Law announced that Sity were killed and many injured in the explosion which occurred at Ashton-under-Lyne, particulars of which were cabled ye sterday.

Much Damage Done.

London, June 14. In the House of Commons, Mr. Bonsr Law said that the explosion was at a privately-owned works." Mach damage was done

THE LIQUOR TRADE. Government Favours State Purchase.

London, June 14. In the House of Commone, Mr. Boner Law stated that the Government had decided to appoint Commissioners to settle the terms of the State acquisition of the liquor trade, either in war-time or after the war. The Government favoured such acquisition, but the House of Commone would be given an opportunity of considering the matter before anything was settled.

RUSSIAN AFFAIRS.

Punishment of Military Offenders

London, June 14. Reuter's occrespondent at Petrograd says that the Government has decreed that military insubordination, mutiny, desertion, refueal to fight and inciting others to any of these acts, will be punishable by penal servitude with loss of all rights, including property.

Examination of Treaties.

London, June 14. According to Reuter's correspondent at Petrograd, the Cabinet has discussed a Note which it is sending to the Allies immediately regarding the calling of an inter-Allied Conference, to examine co-jointly the various inter-Allied Treaties.

GENERAL SMUTS AND THE CABINET.

London, June 14. The newspapers generally express satisfaction at the prospect General Smuts joining the War Cabinet. The Morning Post

[In the event of telegrams arriving too late for Insertion on this page they will be found on an Extral.

TELEGRAMS.

[Renter's Service to The "Telegraph."]

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

RENEWED SUBMARINE ACTIVITY.

Thirty-two Vessels Sunk.

London, June 13. The Admiralty announces that the arrivals during the week were 2,767 and sailings 2,822. Twenty-two vessels over 1,600 tons and ten under 1,600 tons were sunk. Twentythree were unsuccessfully attacked. Six fishing vessels were sunk

The lacrease Expected.

The increase in sinkings was expected and is attributed to the return of submarines which had been refitting; hence, there is no depression regarding the returns which are still considerably below those of the enemy's most active weeks.

A POSTHUMOUS HONOUR.

London, June 14. The French Government has conferred the Legion of Honour on the late Major Redmond.

NEW FOOD CONTROLLER.

London. June 14. . . It is stated that Lord Rothermere will succeed Lord Devomport as Food Controller.

GENERAL PERSHING IN PARIS.

London, June 14. A telegram from Reuter's correspondent in Paris states that General Pershing, U.S.A., has arrived there.

Mr. HENDERSON ADDRES ES RUSSIAN TROOPS.

Petrograd, June 14. Mr. Henderson addressed four thousand soldiers explaining the British point of view and had a fine reception.

GERMAN DIPLOMAT'S RETURN.

Amsterdam, June 14. The German diplomat von Henting has returned to Berlin from a political mission of two years duration in . Australasia. He visited Persia, Afghanistan, Turkestan and China, returning via North America and Norway.

The "Koelnische Volkszeitung's" Berlin correspondent states that von Henting had an important diplomatic mission to the Amir. The political, economic and scientific details of the mission will certainly arouse the deepest interest when they can be published after the war.

A WEEK'S CAPTURES.

London, June 14. Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports: Our total captures since June 7th are now 7,342 including 145 officers. We have also taken 47 guns, 242 machine guns "and 60 trench mortars. We drove off a raiding party this morning north-westward of Lens." We brought down yesterday three German aeroplanes and drove down two. Our anti-aircraft guns shot down one machine inside our lines. All of our machines returned.

THE RAID ON LONDON.

Estimate of the Casualties.

London, June 14. In the House of Commons to-night, Mr. Bonar Law estimated that between 80 and 90 were killed and 400 injured. in the air raid.

Nearly a Hundred Deaths.

London, June 14. An official announcement states: The casualties in the air raid now total as follows:--Killed: 55 men, 16 women. and 26 children. Injured: 223 men, 122 women and 94 children. There was no military or naval damage.

Terrible School Scenes.

Considering the shower of bombs, including serial torpedoes, in populous districts, there were miracui sus escapes. For instance, tenements inhabited by at least two thousand five hundred people had thousands of windows smashed, the roadway was holed, etc., but not a single fatality occurred.

"Bombs fell on a school without exploding; also in the vicinity of another school where the children, marshalled in the yard on the alarm being given, kept on singing while the raid was in progress. All escaped scatheless. But harrowing scenes were witnessed at an East End school where a bomb penetrated the roof, killing a girl on the top floor and several boys in the senior class on the next floor. It then exploded in the infant room on the ground floor, scattering sixty-lour infants and reducing the forms and tables to a chaotic mass. The two women teachers, uninjured but covered with blood, worked heroically recovering the dead and injured, many of the latter being limbless.

SERIOUS MUNITIONS EXPLOSION,

It is announced that a serious munitions explosion has occurred at Ashton-under-Lyne, causing numerous casualties.

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TELEGRAMS.

(Regter's Service To The "Telegraph.")

THE SILVER MARKET.

London, June 13. Silver is steady.

> ANGLO-JAPANESE ALLIANCE.

Beneficial Arts of Peace.

Viscount Masstochi Okochi, Professor of the Imperial University. Tokyo, and the other Japanese delegates to the Rome Congress of the Commercial Committees of the Parliaments of the Allied Powers, were entertained at lancheon at the House of Commons recently by Sir John Randles, chairman of the British Committee. The Japanese

Ambassador was among the

company. In tossting him and the delegates, Lord Robert Cecil testified to the deep appreciation felt by the Allies for the balp given by Japan in the war. Both in geographical features and in ses characteristics Japan and Great Britain had much in common, and quite spart from political considerations there had always been a natural sympathy between the peoples of the two nations. He expressed impatience and disgrest as the German ameers at commercial nations, and declared that the arts of peace seemed now to be no less noble. and far more beneficial than the arts of war. (Cheers ) Subservience of commerce in German military and political advantages. was an aspect of the heresy which

it was the Allies' task to uproot. The Japanese Ambassador, in replying, emphasised the importance of the Rome Conference in view of the possibility that after the war the Central Powers would have to report to measures equally unserupulous in the commercial struggle.

Speaking of the strength of the Anglo-Japanese Alliance, he said that there never had been a time when the ties of friendship and the bond of good understanding and concord had been stronger than to-day, or when the interctures of the peoples was in greater consonance with the spirit of the Alliance. He was firmly convinced that these relations would grow, and he would spare no effort to promote that end. (Cheers.) The military power of Germany had been wiped out from the Kiso-chau part of the globe, and it seemed to him that the day was not far distant when the same fate would befall her. everywhere.

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TO-DAY. Bandman Opera Co .- "High Jinks" Theatre Royal at 9.15

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TO-MORROW. Victoria Theatre 9.15 p.m. Bijon Theatre-9.15 p.m. New Hongkong Cinemato graph. -9.15 p.m.

Wednesday, Jane 27. Gymkhana Entries Close.

Saturday, July 7. Taird Gymkhans Meeting Happy Valley; 3.30 p.m.

War Cost and Shipping Losses. In his speech at the meeting in Liverpoo of the General Steam Navigation Company, recently, the onsirman, Mr. White, stated that twelve thousand millions of pounds had been spent on the war, not that the shipping losses amonated to (welve millions a

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GENERAL NEWS.

The King's Thoroughbred. Spey Pearl, the celebrated thoroughbred, given by the King to Canada, has arrived safely and is in splendid condition.

Rev. Dr. Fitch. Rev. Dr. Filob, Ningohow, 18 leaving for a trip to the far west of China for his health's sake. During his absence the Rev. R. J. McMullen will be in charge of the Union Committee Work.

Off to the Front. Mr. H. G. Manwaring, of Evans, Pugh & Co., has left Hankow to join-H.M. forces, Mr. P. Busbby, who has been engaged erecting the Alfred Holt new premises on the Hankow bund, has also left er similar eervice.

The "Evils of Red Tape." Court Terauchi, the Premier of Jaran, was not reputed to have radical leavings. He has, however, urged all thoials "to avoid the svils of red-tare" smong other hindrances to speedy and efficient tervice.

... Capt. Llewellyn Jones: ... News has been received from Capt. R. Llewellyn Jones'that be is again in France, having n joined his former Regiment-15th King's Royal Rifles. His younger brother Ray is also "comewhere". in France, with the big guns.

Tientsin Merchant for the Front. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cockell left Tientsin for Weihaiwei on Sunday morning. Mr. Cockell hast ffered his services to the Government, and as they have been accepted, says the P. and T. Times, he is withdrawing from the firm of Collins & Co. in which he is a

partner. Ciro's Out of Bounds. The following notification was irred recently from the Headquarters of the Brigade of Guards :- " I have to inform you that, by order of Lieut General Sir Francis Lloyd, K.O B., C.V.O. DS.O., Commanding the London district, Ciro's Restaurant, Orange Street, W.O., is p'aced out of bounds for all troops as

from this date." The Kaiser in the Crystal. Holding up a small crystal, produced at Tottenham Police Court, in a fortune-telling case, Major Majone, chairman of the Bench, said: "I can see the Kaiser innning away." The accused was a married we man named El zabeth Merry, and when her house was raided a large number of girls were waiting to have their fortunes told. A fire of 40s. was

impored. How to Excel in Diplomacy. The Hamburger Fremdenblatt finds the secret of Sir George Buchanan's success in Russia in the fact that he plays golf :- Golf requires the patience of an angel, superhuman endurance, and an equable temperament. One strikes a thousand times in vain in the air: . . . After all Sir George Bushanan, who is the British Ambassador at Petrograd. rin his surroundings is only doing ... what every good Scot doss all his life long. He walked round the whole golf field of Europe for years until at last he was able in Petrograd to hurl the ball into" the goal.

Wedding Mystery. Mystery surrounds the failure to celebrate a wedding service which was to have been performed at St. Ethelbert's Roman Catholic Church; Blough, recent-The parties were Lieut. St. Vincent Parker Jervis, R N.V.B. and Mise Marianita Roller: Miss Roller is stated to be the daughter of residents at Bornham. The bride and bridegroom drove up to the church in a motor car with another person; said to be a maid of the lady's parents, and the only other people present were the priest, Father Olemente, and the verger, Everything was ready for the ceremony. which was by special licence, when the priest found that the registrar was not present. Appernetly he had been expected by the bridgroom, but as he failed to appear, the priest announced that failure to comply with all the legal formelities must have cocasioned his absence, and that he could not, therefore, proceed with the wedding.

THE ALEXANDRA CAFE. Just arrived, Fresh assortede Americat Sweets & Fry

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Solar Phenomenon. An extraordinary phenomenou was seen in connection with the sun in Calcutta on April 25. A great halo surrounded that luminary and the effect was prononcced at the Alipore Observatory to be due to refraction due to the presence of ice crystals in cirrus clouds which are very high above the earth. The solar hales are by no means uncommon, hat that visible was exceptionally well developed. The mock one which was visible at one time was due to the intersection of two of the several circles usually associated with this pheno-

Well-known Brilliard Player. News has been received of the death of Alec Taylor, the well known professional billiard player, and former Yorkshire champion. He was on his way to Egypt, where he had been engaged play a series of games, was taken ill at Malia, where he died suddenly. some weeks age. Aged about forty-two. Taylor made his professional debut in Leeds, but had played very little billiards in England for some years. He had visited South Africa, Japan, America, Canada, India, Ceylon, Australia, and China.

German Government and the

Truth. The German Government has confiscated an entire issue of the Vossische Zeitung in which the naval expert, Usptain Persius, admitted that submarinism would able" to secure for Germany. The provement shown in the defence against submarines last month is what the country has been led to expect from the confident statements made by Mr. Lloyd George and Admiral Lacezs. Apparently the measures taken by the navy are having earlier success than was expected.

Semething to the Kaiser's Credit. "It is to the Kaiser's lasting credit that he made every off rt to hold America's friendship," writes One Hoe zich, political expert of the Berlin Kreuzzeitung We cannot blame him bresuse America is against us, but we do blame the German-Americans, who must realise that the Fatherland is desply disappointed in them." Capt. Persius, the Berlin Tageblatt's payal expert, says: "It is foolish to treat America's entry into the war lightly, it would be a fatal mistake to regard America seconomic, strength as the only important factor for an enemy. The military strength of the United States is not to be met with a shrug of the shoulders, otherwise we shall make the same mistake as we did about the military strength of Great Britain." The Basle Nachrichten's military critic calculates that the United States has 15,000,000 men espable of military serice, and says its armies may prove the decietye factor in the war.

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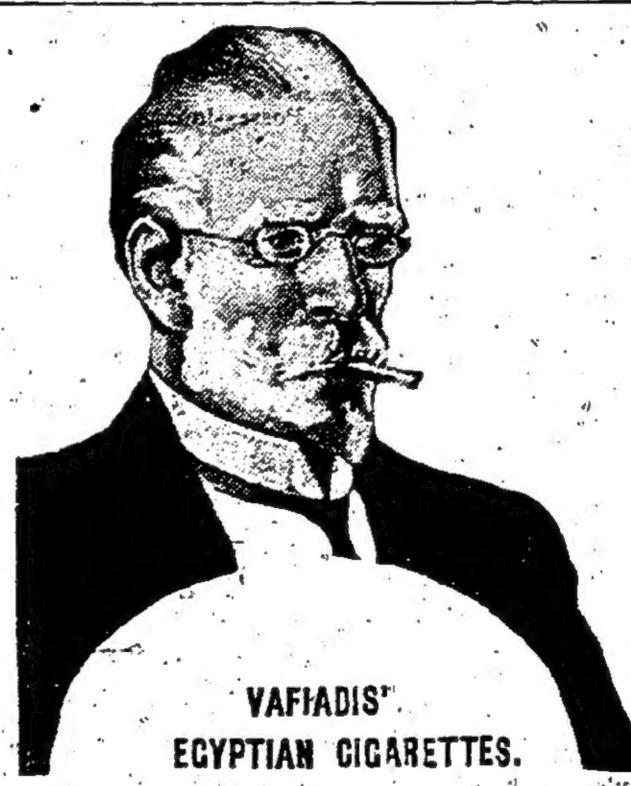
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#### The Hongkong Telegraph.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1917.

#### WHY?

We have often endeavoured to understand why it is that in chines, it leaves something to be detected that it was a fraud, and Hongkong very many neefal laws which seform our statute books are desired in coping with serop anes the men were arrested and chargnever enforced, and we still seeking to discover, an answer which flying at a high altitude and ed. The case was remanded for will do justice to all concerned. Similarly, the point must have arriving over our shores in fairly a week. often occurred to most people living in the Colony, as it has to us, large numbers. The result of that the Ordinance which is supposed to operate against gambling this latest raid indicates, as is enforced in anything but a fair and discriminating manner. Why indeed all the other raids have Police Court this morning, these things should be, we will not endeavour to investigate, but we do not hesitate to say that the general impression of British justice would be vastly enhanced if, on the one hand, laws which indiscriminately in flying over illegal possession of 21 lbs. of cannot, for some obscure reason or other, be consistently applied London or any other part of the black gampowder, at Chang Sha were repealed, and, on the other, those which remain on the statute south coast. No doubt "the Wan. The man was arrested by book were actively operated. Then we should feel, and all sections Germans, with their usual facility a Chinese detective, and stated of the community would appreciate the implied assurance, that laws of invention or, to call it by a that he had made the gunpowder in Hongkong are made, not to be regarded as dead letters, but to plainer phrase, their ability to at Kowloon Fong for the purpose be obeyed.

These observations are inspired by a case which recently engage having done much injury to imposed a fine of \$25, or one ed the attention of one of our magistrates, in which a somewhat military buildings, etc. The facts, month's Eard labour. novel method of gambling was disclosed. It appears that Chinese however, give the lia direct to this villagers at Aberdeen were in the habit of visiting a butcher's shop most conclusively, sa no damage and placing ten-cent wagers on the likely weight of portions of meat whatever, the telegrams assure us, POLICE RESERVE ORDERS. as they were sliced off, the one pearest the correct amount being occurred at military stations. awarded a goose. His Worship decided that this constituted a Only little children and many lottery, and fined the defendant. Most probably on the facts of the women and men fell victims to case, and on the law as well, the magistrate was quite right in the the Hone' indiscrimating desview he took. We are not quarrelling with the decision but what we tructive powers. do seek enlightenment on is this :- Why is the power of the antigambling law exerted in instances of this kind, and, generally, against The Enemy's Delusion. the Chinese coolie class, whereas the most fligrant breaches of the Ordinance among other sections of the community are knowingly ignored? It is an old query, which has often been put, we know, accomplish by such disbolic but is it not about time that we shook curselves free of all hypocrise actions it is still as difficult as Practice. and faced the question fairly and squarely, as befits Britishers? ever to conjecture aright. If the Apart from the periodical gambling at the Racecourse, cash sweeps creation of panic is his object and are quite frequently arranged in connection with events of a sport- his hope—a widespread panic No. 2 Company. ing character in Hongkong, while reffles, public and private, have that will bring pressure on the become quite a feature since the war. All these, we imagine, come Government to think seriously of of all Companies. Also Ambul- duction was needed for home con- Kellaway. As uspal, Miss Gracie just as much within the definition of a lottery as does the innocent negotiating with a view to an ance Platoor. little "flutter" which has now been denied the villagers of Aberdeen, early peace—then the enemy, as | Wednesday, June 20.—Whole 63,077 picula in 1915 to 22,987 but whenever have we heard of anyone being prosecuted for arrang- he ought long ago to have dis- of No. 3 Company. but whenever have we heard of anyone being prosecuted in arrange he ought long ago to have discovered, is doomed to disappoint. Thursday, June 21.—Recraits drew largely on their accumulated the Company give had been surrendered. Uver their farewell performance to be their farewell performance being prosecuted in arrange he ought long ago to have discovered, is doomed to disappoint. Thursday, June 21.—Recraits drew largely on their accumulated to have discovered, is doomed to disappoint. Thursday, June 21.—Recraits drew largely on their accumulated their farewell performance bloom the discovered is doomed to disappoint. Thursday, June 21.—Recraits drew largely on their accumulated their farewell performance bloom the discovered is doomed to disappoint. Thursday, June 21.—Recraits drew largely on their accumulated their farewell performance bloom the discovered is doomed to disappoint. Thursday, June 21.—Recraits drew largely on their accumulated their farewell performance bloom the discovered is doomed to disappoint.

We do not advocate the strict application of the anti-gambling their fixed determination, simply No. 1 Platoon. trade beyond the reach of native laws here. Rather would we see such a modification thereof, or, because of the occasional successes Helmets will be worn on all consumers. Importations of if the effect cannot be reached by any other means, an abolition of of aerial raiders. Such raids will the above parades. Those not yet, kerosene oil fell from 27 million such laws—as would ensure everybody's being treated alike. The bave quite the opposite effect, fi:ted with same must wear cape gallone in 1915 to 18 million absolute prevention of gambling can never be accomplished, what as they cause the people to be and covers. The Chief Inspector gallons. Import tonnege was tions of sugar were 729,000 it was finally lost at the Revoluever laws are enforced. It is in human nature to take "a sporting more than ever determined to (Musketry) will inspect all riffer difficult to obtain, and the high picule, as compared with 539,000 tion. It is to be hoped that the chance." We see that in every sphere of life—business is often bring against the enemy every—and cleaning, gear on these prices resulting from largely in- picule in 1915. Stocks in the Cathedral will be spared by the conducted on that basis; it always is, indeed, when it comes to "for- thing that can weaken him parades. ward" dealings. That being the case, why these constant gamb- effectually, and ultimately comling raids on the poorer class of Chinese, who are prepared to risk pel him to acknowledge defeat. a few cash on the turn of luck and who sometimes lose their lives The lesson of the present raid is June 21, and during the Ramadan of large quantities of case review opened with prices con- arr, its west front ranking next to in endeavouring to eccape from the police? Not so long ago, such precisely that of similar raids, Fast, the members of this Platoon oil from Japan, as much siderably reduced, so good de that of Notes Dame at Paris in a raid (happily with no loss of life) was carried out on the very namely, that the enemy is as are exempt from all except patrol as 11/2 million gallons reaching mand and sales set in, which parity. It contains some excelnight on which heavy betting was being openly indulged in at a callous as ever, and that he still duties. public function attended by quite an assembly of police officials. believes in dropping bembs in-Such a state of affairs constitutes a most unfortunate anomaly, and discriminately. It also points to one from which undesirable conclusions are bound to be drawn, the fact that we must perfect our quested to assist the management it was found to be inferior in in the arrivals of first qualities, If there is a solution to the problem, we should say it will best be anti-sircraft weapons and found by giving these poor Chinese coolies a rest from the attentions ready to cope as smartly and as sniptions from the men of their for adulteration with the better ties are now being made by tocal of the police. At any rate, let us try to administer the laws, whe satisfactorily with numerous respective Commands, Subscrip- and more expensive grades sold factories from imported leaf and ther in regard to gambling or snything else, with all-round justice aeroplanes as we were in dealing tions of \$1 for a further period by the leading oil companies sold much chesper than the im- late of Knala Lumpur, has been mid and with common fairness.

London's Latest Aerial Raid.

Notwithstanding the fact that it is stated in the telegrams on London that there was an entire absence of panic," it is nevertbeless evident that the raid was one of the most serious that bas occurred in the Metropolis. A large number of people-men, women and children, mostly, if not all, civilians-were killed, while many also were injured. It is thus clear that the idea we were inclined to extertain some little time sgo to the effect that our erties and is wonderfully anti-aircraft guns were now more than's match for the serial invaders will require to be ravised, though it certainly seemed that we were justified in thus at 4 p.m. thinking, so far as the Zeppelins wers concerned. Our gunners having accounted for several Z-ppeline, the enemy had evident- connection with the Wigwam Tenly concluded that further raids nis Club, Kowloon, is to be held machines would be worse will be a Spoon Competition. than fatile. They had therefore been withdrawn from the aerial fighting arens, so far as England was concerned, and we had in consequence bugged the fond delusion to our souls that the enemy had had enough aerial raids. During the past few weeks, however, we have had The Hun, it would seem, has was imposed. definitely given up the use of the Zeppelin aircraft, and as he unwhat he expected.

Disquieting Measure of Success. Street.

It must be admitted that both

What the enemy hopes to with Zappelin machines.

DAY BY DAY.

GOOD ACTIONS ARE THE INVISreferring to the latest serial raid IBLE HINGES OF THE DOORS OF HEAVEN,-Victor Hugo.

> To-morrow's Anniversary. To-morrow is the birthday of King Gustaf of Sweden, who was born in 1858.

The Dollar. The opening rate of the dollar

Canton Trip. The s.s. Fatshan is to leave for Canton to-morrow, at 10 p.m., returning from Canton on Sunday

Tennis "At Home," The second "At Bome" with such costly and bulky to-morrow from 3 to 6 p.m. There

> Misplaced Trust. has absconded with the money.

Back from the States. ness of this conclusion, as both before Mr. Dyer Ball, at the

A Widow Killed. The Police report that the body doubtedly had high hopes as to of a Chinese female, aged 30 the invincibility of such ma- years, has been sent to the public chines, it is gratifying to know mortuary. The woman was accithat we have certainly scored dentally killed by a quantity of over him in this direction, which earth and stones falling on her must be very galling to him after whilst she was at work in Sands place large forward contracts for Street, West Point. The woman was a widow, living at 18, Third

Alleged Forgery. Two Chinese bottmen were able. The importations of cotton in this last raid and in the one charged before Mr. J. R. Wood; that immediately preceded it, at the Police Court this morning, normal on the whole, in spite of the enemy has had a measure of with forging a bill. The facts of success that is somewhat dis- the case are that the men went quieting, simply because it into Mesers. Wing On's shop and reveals that, good as our anti- presented a bill purporting to be aircraft has been proved to be for goods supplied to the Wing in dealing with Zeppelin ma- On Company: The shroff at once

Possession of Cunpowder. Before Mr. J. R. Wood, at the indicated just as clearly, that the Chinese, who said he was unemenemy continues to drop bombs ployed, was charged with the lie, will credit themselves with of blasting stones. His Worship

Orders issued to-day by Mr.

Band and Orchestra. Monday, June 18.—Orchestra

Thursday, June 21.—Band Parades. Central.

of 5 months are now due.

TIENTSIN CUSTOMS REPORT.

Regarding Chinese

Goods. Under the heading of Chizese Goods - Exports, Abroad and Constwise (including Re-exports) Mr. Maze, the Commissioner of Onstoms at Tientsin, says that Post Office, which will no doubt try is widespread, but it is a prethe export trade at that port for be of interest to many persons judice rooted in fallacies. 1916 reached a total value of both in Hongkong and in the Goal's nilk is not unpalatable, as 48.71 million which con- Coast Ports who have been kind is commonly supposed, and it is stitutes a decrease of just over a enough to send parcels of news- not indigestible. On the contrary, million tasks from the net total of papers and pictorials to our it is more digestible than cow a 1915. There was a steady wounded in the Egyptian milk, or dectors would not demand throughout the year Hospitals. All such parcels are prescribe it for infants and in-America for all the principal Post Office free of charge:

products of the Tientsin district. Dealing with the item " Foreign. loods - Imports Direct and Constwise," Mr. Maze saye: -The value of fereign imports which good enough to convey to the kind reached Tieutsin direct from donors of books, magazines, etc., the goat bolds over the often foreign countries amounted to the great appreciation that exists It has been reported to the 44.33 million tasis, and of foreign in the Army here of their pre- cow is decided, and in these days Police by Chan Tean, the money- imports from Chinese, ports to sents which arrive very regularly, changer at the Star Ferry, 15.47 million taels, making a When the Hospitals are full; the Kowloon, that a foki of his was total value for foreign imports of literature reaches them through the sive. entrusted with \$650, but that he 59.80 million tack. From this British Red Cross library, When latter figure must be deducted there are few patients, the United the value of foreign goods re- Services Welfare Society die-A Chinece, who has just return- exported -2.19 million taels (0.74 tributes it to the units in the good reason to doubt the sound- ed from America, was charged million to foreign countries and field. There is no wastage as L45 million to Chinese ports),- the books etc., are sent to one leaving a net importation of 57.61 other of these Agencies the just reported and that of a having 18 rounds of revolver million tasts, which is an increase they arrive. few weeks ago, the enemy did ammunition in his possession of 475 million taels over the With renewed thanks for your a considerable amount of damage. without a permit. A fine of \$15 figures for 1915. Direct arrivals kindness in the matter. came for ward in reduced quantities during the year, since the cost of nearly all manufactured articles had risen so much, owing to the sources of supply having been

still further restricted by the war, as to be beyond the ideas of native consumers. They would not direct deliveries, but contented themselves with buying small lots from Shanghai and southern porta whenever good terms were obtainpiece goods were not much below

there having been a sudden rise of prices in summer, when it was known that the American cotton crop was short. The most noteworthy decrease was in Japanese drills and sheetings, which fell from 794,000 and over 1,000,000 pieces respectively in 1915 to 400,000 and 675,000 pieces. This was due to the fact that the Chinese now largely manufacture these cloths themselves

on machine driven looms from imported yarn and that the duty treatment accorded by the Chinese Government to these Chinese factory products enables them to compete on equal terms with the foreign article. A large business was done in the import of overcoating cloth, as the tendency is growing among theChinese.

to adopt the foreign-style of overcoat, worn over the ordinary Chinese dress. Arrivals of nearly all kinds of metals fell off, principally owing to their high cost and continued demand abroad. Prices rose far above pre-war rates, and deliveries were often delayed many months, owing to priority F. C. Jenkin, D.S.P. (Reserve), being given to Government requirements. Sheets and plates fell from 34,391 picule in 1915 to 16,809 piculs, partly owing. to the export from England of all those exceeding & inch in thickness been probibited. Icon rails fell Monday, June 18.—Whole of from 122,145 picule to only 798 piculs. They were practially un-Tuesday, June 19 .- Recruits obtainab e stroad, as all the prosumption, Tinned plates fell from and will not relinquish Friday. June 22.-Whole of high prices placed this article of "High Jinks,"

creased freights canted sales interior had run very short during enemy. It is regarded by auth. during the year to fall off. A 1915, owing to the high prices critics as a very fine example of From and including Thursday, novel feature was the importation prevailing them. The year under twelfth and thirteenth century the port. The proximity of Japan were continued throughout the lent examples of thirteenth "Police Reserve Gazette." to the China market enabled this year. As regards cigarettes, century stained glass.
Section Commanders are ra- oil to be sold at a low price, but there was a considerable decrease

LITERATURE FOR THE TROOPS.

Hongkong Gifts Appreclated in Egypt.

General Post Office.

Alexandria, 9th May, 1917. Dear Sir, -I trust you will be

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Postmaster Ganeral,

Egypt. The Postmaster General. Hongkong.

BANDMAN OPERA CO.

The piece is very much mis- a rival to the cow than as an ally. named, but this does not rob it of its large store of humour, and in the Bindman Opera Company there are actors and actresses who know just in what way to treat it. A better part might have been found for Miss Mejori Manners, but, nevertheless, in the role of Sazione, the very beautiful, though somewhat wayward wife of a French performs manusplendidly. Mr. Compton Coutts, a. Monsicur Pomarel, was capital The play would have been some thing very far short of what Fred Winn who took the part of Baron Dauvray, been absent. From his entrance on the stage to the time he left it, he kept th audience in a continual roar of laughter, as did Mr. Billy Rex, in of Jeunesse Doree, a restaurant of wide repute, where a mix-up of basbands and wives take; place. thirsting for a taste of real life. was exceptionally good, as was

be by obtaining the renewal of sub. quality, and it was generally used due to the fact that large quanhere. Among sundries, imports- ported article.

TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

One of the most interesting festures of the lecture, "Milk and Health," which Sir James Crickton Browne gave at the Mansion House recently was the high value he set on goat's milk and The Postman'er General (Mr. his strong advocacy of the mee. st. S. B. C. Ross) has received the of it in view of a possible milk following letter from the Post far ine. The prejudice against master General of the Egyptian the milk of the goat in this coun-Japan, Europe and transmitted by the Hongkong valids; and it is more nourishing. more uniformly innocuous, for the goat's liability to tuberculosis is negligible. Add to this the lower coet of keep and a relatively greater yield, and the advantage harmful and only half-necessary of high infant mortality and the six penny quart should be deci-

> The butting in of the goat on the milk market, however, would not only bring down the price of cow's milk; it would also preserve its integrity, says the Manchester Guardian. If the mileh-cow, with its known limitations, were to compete successfully with its more perfectly yielding rival, its milk would have to be convincingly pure. The faking devices from synthetic powders to the simplest dilution-by which dealers now dodge the Board of Ag.iculture's all too lenientstandard, and the yet more sinister process of " feeding down" the cows, by which they keepon the windy side cfit would all have to be dropped. Milk, whether from cow or goat, would be clean, it would not be devitalised, it would be chesp, and we may hope that it would be ample. That it is not ample now is shown by the recent statement of the Board of Agriculture that the Though there was a rather increase in the dairy herd has not mesgre andience at the Theatre been proportionate to the increase Byal last night, when the Band- in the population, for in 1870. man Opera Company presented there were 83.8 cows and The Girl in the Taxi", the heifers per thousand people; in players were not one whit 1911 only 69.2. If only to make affected, and the whole piece went good this deficiency, then, the through without a dull moment. milch-gost should be held less as

Laon, the repossession of which is of such importance to the French offensive, has from very early times (writes a correspondent to a Home paper) "played a notable part both in military and ecclesiastical history. The town, which is the capital of the depariment of the Aiane, is situated facturer, she squitted herself 300 feet above the Ardon River, and stands on an isolated ridge, with a rampart promenade commanding an extensive view of the surrounding country. Its military value has been recognised from the days of the Romans. and it now forme, with La Fere fortresses. During the Hundred Years War it fell into the hands of the English, but was subthe part of Alexis, the head waiter sequently recaptured by the French. A remarkable straight staircase of several hundred steps . leads direct from the railway Mr. Leyland Hodgson, as the station in the plain up to the gate spoilt son of Baron Donvary, of the town. The citadel is situated at the eastern extremity of the ridge, and at the time of the France-Prussian War of 1870 the powder magazine was fired Rosslyn as the daughter of the German troops were entering Buron was all that could be the town, although the place plosion, the greater proportion being Frenchmen. The bishopric of Lson dates from the fifteenth century, hat after passing through various vicissitudes

Military Cross Awarded. - Zacied

Capt. V. T. Eagles, R.A.M.C. swarded the Military Orosa.

#### UTINOUS CHINESE SEAMEN.

Story Told at the Inquest

The facts concerning the shootthe third officer of British steamer of a Chinese Breman named Cheong Hup, during a mutiny on the high seas, were investigated at the Dalestreet Ocroner's Court, Liverpool, recently.

Mr. Pidgeor, solicitor, represented the owners, a Cardiff firm represented the relatives of the deceased fireman. Mr. Oripps

Mr. Holmes was for the captain and officers; and Mr. Croisdale watched the case on behalf of the and the correspondence columns polica, The first witness called was Government at North Point, no Jonathan Moore Smith, master of the steamer, who deposed that the conjunction with the official crew consisted of 54 hands. There of the Public Works Departwere 11 officers and engineers who ment who is to be specialwere British subjects, and 43' seamen, firemen and stewards necessary facilities, will do all who were Chinese. The steamer that can reasonably be expected. was a tramp, and on the occasion What the public really wants is in question she was bringing to that the teach be kept clean, and AMERICA AND THE WAR. Liverpool a cargo from Baltimore. that can easily be accomplished As soon sa they left the latter port by a batch of coolies at low tide they had trouble with the Chinese removing the large numbers of orew, and the deceased man was hurt of things lying about : things a sort of ringleader. On April 3 such as "rea urchins," large and about So'clock in the morning the small stones, and other similar fireman's cook went to the cabin articles. With the beach, as far where the chief steward was and as the end of the pier, kept clean, later the chief steward came to the pier built as substantially sait United States Government retains him and complained of having was last year and perhaps not quite been areaulted and bitten by the so high, North Point as a bathing fireman's cook in consequence of place will be a very desirable a dispute about rice, and as to spot. It is within easy reach o the time when it should be served the centre of the city and should out to the firemen. They said thus prove an attraction that they should have had it about 6 o'clock, but the chief have enjoyed many a "dip" at steward said be could not give North Point, and would have it them until 2 o'clock in afternoon. The firemen were supposed to have rice doled out to is to be hoped that the Governthem every three days. Witnessthen tent for the firemen's cook, and told him of the complaint against him, and that he would be logged. Witness did wonot know what his reply was, and the firemen's cook then went to Lis quarters. Ten minutes later the chief steward complained that the firemen were about to come to his cabin to attack him. Witness then went on deck and saw the firemen on the port side of the posted two of them away and bridge deck, although in the ordinary course of their duty they should have been aft. Witness

their quartere. About noon.

came armed with files, hammers,

and spanners, and witness sent

chief steward to stay in his cabin.

se he thought they might "go

for him. Later witness saw two

up eleven armed Chinamen at the

revolver point. Witness went to

to assist the third mate he found

and several other Chinamen ex-

amining the body. Tois was

removed to the hospital. The

mutineers were then disarmed,

one man who was pot in irons.

never carried a loaded revolver.

Mr. Pocock, the second mate

said that having been warned by

the chief mate on the morning of

the date in question he went on

dock, taking his revolver with him.

He saw that the firemen were

armed with files, spanners, and

were trying to pacify them.

Witness relieved the third officer

and three of them made a rush at

him with spanners. Witness

having previously

yeurs of age.

Cross examined .- There was

then sent for the second engineer cabin. and for the leading fireman to find out what was the matter. The latter then spoke to the firemen and they thereupon returned to however, the men reassembled, and their attitude was such that strike at the third officer with a spanner (about 14 yards long witness concluded there was sgoing to be a mutiny. The men third mate's life was in danger

the second engineer to tell the second engineer, also gave evidence. He said that deceased had been generally insubordinate from of the Chinamen strike the second the beginning of the voyage. mate with files in the alleyway.

while the third mate was holding that because he did not give out, rice when requested to do so by the firemen's cook he was bitten bis cabin to get certridges by the latter. for his own revolver, which was

in his pocket. On returning he heard one of the men shout "Let's kill the steward and throw Cheong Hop lying dead near him him overboard."

and they resumed work, except

mate, said that the men who will be of inestimable value to plenty of rice on board for the men. It was only a question of attacked him were armed with all manner of weapons. They the time of doling it out. Witness were apparently making for the captain's cabin. " As they were Mrs. Emily Ah Poob, wife of B ship's steward, said that she had crossing the gangway leading in that direction he asked them to known the decessed man for the last five years. He was about 27 stop. On his pointing his revolver at them they petreated. but when he turned to assist the

mate shouted out to him to look out. Decessed was then rushing at him with a spanner in his hammers, and that the captain,

The Coroner, in summing up.

away, but subesquently returned, ranted. The jury, without any heaitstion, thereupon returned a verdict of "justifiable homicide."

#### CORRESPONDENCE.

[The opinions expressed by correspondents are not necessarily those of the "Hongkong Telegraph."] BATHING AT NORTH POINT. To the Editor of the "Hongkong Telegraph."]

Sir,-It is very gratifying to se no doubt it is to the others who took part in the egitation against the Government's attitude regarding bathing facilities at orth Point, to see that the Government has come forward and announced a change of views in the matter. So far, so good, and I think that it will be readily admitted that the Telegraph is to be ocngrainlated on the success of the agitation, as it was brought to general notice in the editorial of your paper. Now, in regard to what is going to be done by the doubt the Hon. Mr. Policek, in ly deputed to enquire into the many people. Hundreds of reople continued doing so had the place been kept free of stones, etc. ment will do its best to make reports that the United States had the place the attractive bathing place it might easily become.

Enclosing my card, Yours etc. Hongkong, June 15, 1917.

had to resist them unarmed. He they fell into the lee scuppers. Two others dashed past him and ran for the chief steward's Witness chased them and closed with them. At the time one of them was striking the chief steward with a file. While witness was struggling with them, the chief officercame to his assistsace. Witness as w the decrased and the decessed fell as a result of the slot. In his opinion the

Charles James Arrowsmith, the

Wan So, the chief steward, said

Yat Yan, the chief cook, said

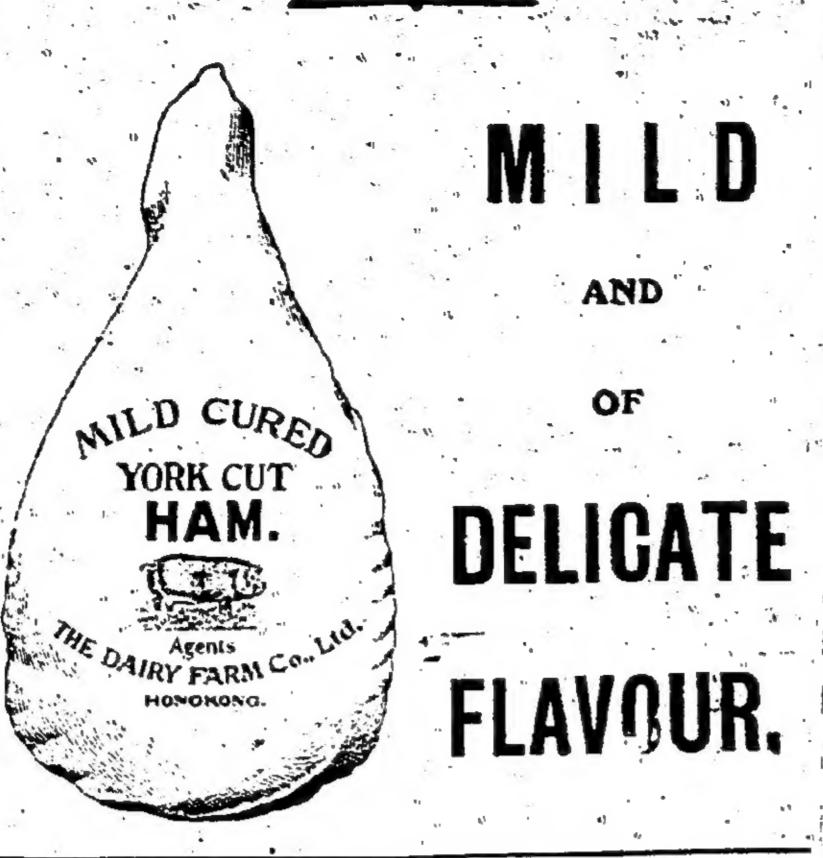
Evidence having been given by other Chinese seamen, Man Li, the firemen's cook, e id that he was struck first by the chief steward.

Thomas John Lake, the third second mate, who was struggling with other Chinamen, the chief

hand. He simed one blow at witness's head, which he succeeded in dodging. Deceased, howsecond engineer, and chief officer ever, simed a second blow, and witness then shot him.

while the latter went to his cabin esid the jary had to decide for his revolver. The men, after being remonstrated with, went whether the shooting was war-

### DAIRY FARM



No Peace Understanding with Entente Powers.

a free hand in negotiating for the peace of the world. It has not been bound or entangled, formally or informally, in any sgreement, written or unwritten, with the Entente Powers concerning the terms of or time for the making

Mr. Lansing made the above annonncement to-day in response to inquiry concerning published reached a tacit understanding with the British and French Missions visiting here not negctiate a separate peace with Germany. The reports originated out of a discussion yesterday by ents here on the separate pesce Dr, Williams' Medicine Co., 96, immediate delivery of their goods question. He told them that, Szechuen Road, Shanghai, of course, the common-sense thing for the United States to do in a! war in which it was co-operating anbject of peace terms had been no move for peace without con- assumption that the bases of world Godown. sulting her Allies. Out of this grew the impression that definite understanding to that effect existed with Great Britain and

unwarranted. Naturally, when the ... United war to be brought to snend the very for the termination of the conflict directly with the enemy countries for democracy." would obviously be an unfriendly attitude and one that is quite

beyond the range of probability. But it is precisely because the United States is not bound in any agreement with reference to the time for making peace that her influence for the cessation of the great couffict will be even greater perhaps than it might have been were this country to have remained neutral. The entry United States into the war has brought about understanding only with Great Britain and

France for the purposes of military and paval co-operation, but it has developed an intimacy that A Quantity of Valuable House-President Wilson at the peace council which must settle the war. ference has more than once been given by friends of Germany as rugs, etc., etc. one of the reasons why the entry of America into the corfict has

not been altogether unwe'come

Mr. Lansing made it clear that the British and French Governments had made no effort to bind the United States to any agreement concerning perce, and that this Government therefore was not in the po-ition of having consented or declined to negotiate peace. He would not say whet- 20th, inst. her in the many informal talks that have been in progress batween the British and Frerch Commissioners and Officials of the United States Government the

#### EPITAPH.

(Ex-King Constantine has indicated that he is going to case whatever. Switzerland .- Daily Paper.) Affliction fore long time he bore; signed by Till "Fast and Loose" was

binn'd. He fl d from Greece His woes to ease-

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both suffer if you are a victim to constipation. The remedy is

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with other nations was to make [touched on, but it is a logical risk and expense into Co's security along the liner, particularly of a world concert cr league to insure peace, have been canvassed in President Wilson's France. But to-day Mr Lansing conversations with Mr. Ballour, effected. explained that the inference was the British Foreign Secretary, if not also with M. Viviani. Thera is at any rate every reason to States thinks it time for the world | believe that complete barmony exists between the United States aged goods will be landed into first nations to which a suggestion and its Allies on the general principle that the present Government would be addressed would be the of Germany cannot be regarded Entente Powers. To negotiate as likely "to make the world safe filed after the 5th July, 1917.

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#### COMMERCIAL NEWS.

Japan's Shipping Prosperity. The continued prosperity of the shipping trade in this country, says the "Japan Chronicle," is strikingly illustrated by the splendid she wing made by the Meiji Kaiun Kabushiki Kaisha (Meiji Marine Transport Joint Stock Company), of Kobe, which has declared a dividend of :50 per cent. per annum. The Company held a general meeting of shareholders on the 25th ult. and passed the following accounts for the last business Net profit... ...Y1, 91,090

Total .... ... Y1,764 741 To legal reserve.... Bonues to officials ... Dividend, 10 per cent. Extra dividend, 24) per cent. ... 1,130,000; Carried forward .... 519,861 For the preceeding term a dividend of 250 per cent, per

Brought forward

annum also was ; aid. Amaigamation of Two Spinning "Companies.

Negctistions. we learn from the "Japan Chronicle." have been proceeding between the Amagasaki and the Settsu Spinning Company concerning w proposal to amalgamate the two c mpanies. These negotiati na have now been brought to a satisfactory conclusion. Under the arrangements agreed a pon it is proposed that the capital of the Amagasaki Spinning Compary will be increased from Y12,500,000 to Y20,500,000, and that of the Settsu Spinning Company from Y7,000,000 to Y10,-500,000, and then the two concerns will be combin d into a new c mpacy with a capital of Y:0,500,000, in 1,220,000 shares. The new company will be the largest spinning concern in Japan, not only in amount of capital but also in point of equipment. The Amaga alli Spinning Compeny owns 339,848 spindles and the Settsu Spinning Company 207,666 spindles, so that on amalgamation they will have 547.514 s\_indles, as against 429,892 spindles run by the Toyo Spinn ng Company and 449,580 spindles by the Kanegafuchi-Spinning Company, Taking spinning companies abroad into consideration, the new company will be the second largest in the world. It is said that when the extension of equipment already undertaken by the two companies is realised, it will head the world's list of spinning concerns. American Loan to Great Britain.

A Washington telegram dated April 25 states: -Secretary Mc-Adoo to-day handed to the British Amhassador a treasury warrant for \$200,'x 0,0 .0, the first loan made to any Frients Government by the United States under the \$7,0 0,000,000 war finance measure. Sir Cecil Spring-Rice. Bitish Ambassador, handed to Secretary Mc doo a st. receipt on behalf of the British Government and the trarsaction was complete. Transfer of the bigeum was made in Secretary Moad o's office in the pres nce of Lord Cualiffe, governor of the Bank of England, and, fficials of the Federal R serve Board, the Treasury and the Brit sh Embassy. The am untof the lean had been despo ited to-day in the Federal Reserve banks by banks subscribing to the \$250,0 0,000 issue of Treasury certificates of indebteiress due June 30. The \$50,000,000 remaining of the issue will be disposed of in amanner yet to be announced by Secretary McAdoo. The 'oan will take the lace of a private loan which Great Britain had planned to obtain from J. P. Morg'n & Co. on securities of the Canadian Pacific Reilway. Arrangements looking to the issue by the Morgin house had been under way for some time when Be cretary McAdoo requested that they be deferred and indicated that the Government. would meet Great Britain's immediate needs. Incidentally, Great Britain will save more than \$3,000,000 annually in interest charges by obtaining the losn from the Government instead of from private institutions, as the Government's interest rate will be 31 per cent. compared with a minimum of 5 per cent which Great Britain would have had to

pay on a private loan. Discussion of Great Britain's further. needs in the immediate future was continued at conferences by Sccretary McAdoo, Sr Cecil Spring-Rice and Lord Cunliffe

and later at a luncheon given by the Federal Reserve Board, Great Britain is specding, it is represented, approximately 18,427 OLO, HO & day for toodstuffs amin'T munitions in the United Statespick Herneeds, therefore, approximate

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Exports Hongkong before bill of to rent. lading can be countersigned. ed goods are to be left in the Go- Godowns where they will be downs where they will be ex-

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amined on Monday 18th, inst, Claims against the steamer must within a month of the 'steamer's be recognized. arrival here, after which they

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STORAGE IN MILLIONS AND DECIMALS OF GALLONS Kowloon Gra-Consumption ....... Estimated popula-

The Government Analyst's reports show that the water is of excellent quality. W. CHATHAM. Water Authority

> MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

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[Reuter's Service to The "Telegraph."]

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AN ALLIED AIR RAID.

Amsterdam, June 14. The "Rheinisch Westfaelische Zeitung" states that on the night of June 4th several equadrons of enemy airmen bombed places between Moselle and Saar. In one place the burgomaster and his wife were killed.

#### RUSSIAN MILITARY APPOINTMENT.

Petrograd, June 14. .General Dinikine ex-Chief of the General Staff has been appointed to the supreme command of the western front in succession to General Gourko.

#### FRENCH TROOPS IN GREECE,

London, June, 14. A French official mossage states our cavalry entered Lariesa at 6 a.m. on Tuesday.

Shanghai Americans Preparing

Celebration.

At the American Consulate

hanghai was held to consider

the Fourth of July. A very large

attendance of representative

The Hon. Thomas Semmons.

Consul General for the United

As Dr. W. T. Findley was un-

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a cordial vote of thanks for his

past work, and Mr. G. J. Petro-

The question of the appoint-

ment of a general committee led

to an informal discussion as to

what character the celebration

should take.

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Americans was present.

#### THE WOMEN POLICE.

Unobtrusive Good Work.

Women in uniform are so frequent nowadays that the passerby ecarcely spares a glance for a General, on the 8th inst., a meethard "bowler" kind of hat, plain ing of American residents blue clothes, and a blue armiet with white letters on it. And the wearers of this uniform seem to preliminary arrangements in connection with the celebration be peculiarly unobtrusive people. anxious to avoid, not to attract; attention. For all that, among the innumerable women who are picking up the work which the men have had to drop, or tackling the new work which the States, presided. times have brought to be done, these women police are by nemeans the least valuable, brave, and steadfast.

They are very carefully chosen celli was appointed to the position and trained for their difficult task. Recruits must be well educated, physically sound, and provided with unexceptionable -references. During the training a email percentage is weeded out; some proving not strong enough to face all weathers, others lack ing initiative and resource, and a few finding the discipline irksome. The corrientam includes first sid, the procedure courts; civil and criminal law. especially the Acta relating to women and children; patrol, demiciliary visiting, and the in spection of common lodging houses. Lectures are given on all branches of a policewoman's duty; and examinations, both paper and viva woce, must be passed: Pulice-court procedure is learned by personal attendance Marvlebone, Old-street, Tower Bridge, Westminster, and several other Courte, through the courtery of the magistrates, who know the policewoman's value.

When the rectuit is trained she enough work of a kind that is Great Cabba T. Millard, Mon rest of the world knew nothing; splendid resolve and superb resolve: I will eat a pound less at Headquarters. At 5.45 p.m. specially suited to women. It is Grath, Cobbs and Rose. commonly believed that great police-work; and to some parts out any authority to control the imagined had perished out of the herself, for her bitterest foes are two ounces of bread less a day than 5.15 p.m. Centra Section M. G. of it no doubt it is. But there is women and girls who, for their earth with the Middle Ages of not America and England, Buseis the usual amount you eat." much also in which moral force own ends or for fear of some ignorance, brutality, and bestial and France and Italy; they are . Mr. Jones said that by doing Elementary Training; Hongkong and tactful supervision are of threatening brute in the back unresson. more value than muscle. In ground, prey upon the sons of Nonstion threatened Germany, inhumanly planned and plotted day the individual would do Statue Wharf at 4 30 p.m.); Left matters concerning women and English mothers and of mothers no nation contemplated war but an impossible apothersus for his part towards winning victory. Section M. G. Coy. and Civil children especially, the police overseas, the policewomen have Germany; and, having made Germany, and willed that she He believed that by September Service Company at Kennedy woman has powers sometime deni- already done much to cleaner the ready for forty years, it was should rise and some alone over we should have compelled the Road Range, T. E. T. Grouping ed to the man. Take, for example, public thoroughfares. The blue Germany who struck, choosing the smoke of a destroyed earth. Kaiser to throw up the sponge. (Min. Ammun). At 5.30 p.m. the vis tation of common lodging- armlet is well known not only the moment when she believed They have shown you take lights "Bruad waste is builts waste to Right Section M. G. Coy. at houses. In this class of dwelling in the Waterloo-road or in Europe was most utterly and and promised impossible rewards day; every cramb should be saved Headquarters under Unit Com. DEALING WITH live girls so poor that many of Horseferry-road, but in stream universally unprepared. them have but one set of under- and squares much "smarter," You are not, then fighting for poured your blood like water slice of bread more than he needs, Firing Instruction.) Thursday, 2 let instance of the servant who throws away a Thursday, 2 let instance of the servant who throws away a Thursday, 2 let instance of the servant who throws away a struction.) partially dried, and put on again employed is the exertion of an un- the reactionary creed and insen- execution; and they have taught crust, the housewite who fails to p.m. Mounted Section at Jockey before the owner can go out, obtrasive vigilance, a steady pre- sate ambition of your reigning you to make war in a manner so exercise the most careful supervi- Club Stables; Artillery Battery entree to the rooms inhabited by am !" says the blue armlet, and the more generously you die dictate of human reason of re- household is helping the enemy such as these. A child, again, passing quietly by at the very for that reigning casts so much ligious faith, that the have brought and retarding the fulfillment of a.m. Belchers 6" such as these. A only, again, possing distinctively to a woman, moment when secrecy is most the worse for your unhappy country of a world-wide the ideals for which our gallant Belchers. Battery; 5.30 p.m. and British statistics our sub-Every police court is familiar desired. When it appears groups try and all humanity. Germany's ostracism, which only generations soldiers and our brave sailors are Hight Section M. G. Coy. at marine sinkings during the last with the spectacle of a child so disperse, loiterers discover urgent salvation, in common with all civi- of your penitence and shame will giving their lives." frightened that it cannot tell the business elsewhere. Time is given lisation, lies along the road of ever bridge. truth, much less give a clear and for that second thought, which is peace, and the more swiftly she | Field-grey! Turn on the enemy detailed statement. The police often the salvation of the tempted; makes that peace, the better for in your rear and save your woman-very likely herself a the consciousness that decent, her must be the terms of it. mother-knows how to approach well-bred women are out in all If, therefore, you would indeed For make no mistake: it is the child, allay its fears, calm its weathers taking thought for his fight for Germany, as the Russians your Fatherland that suffers mind, and in time, as if by accident, welfare may well check a young are fighting for Russia and the pollution, not Belgium, France to know. And a policewoman will remains, of course, the drunkard; march in the van rather than the women and children, priests and tell you that women have a much and the drunkard, if he is too iar rear of human progress, take sged men, blots Germania's and a passionate desire for by the blue armiet-for once your country needs to-day. It is the innocent and defenceless foul justice, which makes them spare exerting physical force—at the the good will of the whole earth, your land, not theirs. It is your truth. So successfully has this properly ashamed of himself, it instead of universal loathing; themselves when the truth reaches that at Richmond the police who brought him there. woman of that borough holds the It is good work, well done, instead of his curse. churches that are no longer fit for addition to har own.

There is enother field in which officially recognised and establish- look at it, and find your friends men, not cattle driven at the Roch Phillpotte in the Daily Officer from 24th to the police-woman has a special ed as a permanent force.— on it. You stand alone against will of butchers; claim your | Chronists.

task—on streets at night. With- Times.

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Own inheritance, proclaim your

TO A "FIELD GREY.

What Are You Fighting For

tion in that great advance towards and barbarous majorities. liberty and democracy now fore- You are greater than your shadowed on the face of Europe. leaders; be wieer too. Declare Only by depriving your reigning their just of dominion unjusticlass and reigning house of the fied; proclaim their theory

of shreds and patches, clings to children. an archaic constitution, and the Young Turks, who have learned all they know of government from Prussia, seek still to triumph by those obsolete principles. Against you stands the world. It is true that England and Italy are not Republic; but their monarchs exist to echo the people's will, not to impose their will upon the people. The King of England and the King of Italy possess less personal power than the President of the United States of America.

We do not believe you are fighting for dead principles, then; or for a government and constitution constructed for slaves. You will see to that after the war, you But the war solely depends upon you. The probable peace terms are in your power to influence. You have seen what Russia can do while at war. Are you so blind, so patient of the goed, that you cannot learn from

Russia the glory of a nation

answering to its own will alone? The Proof of a Lie. We tolieve that it is for Germany you are fighting and ask presently, if you and the world you have to settle for us; shall The Rev. Dr. S. I. Woodbridge you "Why?" To save her from are content to let him.

elected members of the general rang out. Lieut Delano, Messra. Sites, Germany were the mightiest and might of the world would will sit down and be your own Edgeumbe and Edmonds. Webb, W. S. Fleming, J. D. cannon the world had seen and cast from its pedestal on your Food Controllers. What I want Tuesday 19th instant:—At 7.30 Gaines, Sutterie, Emens, South- the largest stores of ammunition; grosning bosome? mayd, Moss, Fessenden, W. L. in Germany were new wespons of . It was her army that stood forty million Food Controllers, Belchers Battery; at 530 p.m.

Women alone ought to have the seure of observation. "Here I caste; and the longer you fight foul and evil, so contrary to every sion over the rationing of

instead of his back; his blessing, chards that are "blasted, your

the round world, you are supporting a principle of human polity that civilisation condemna-s principle that has periabed from all Chancelleries but your own.

No longer can the nations be slaves, either to other nations or Soldiers of Germany, what are to their rulers; and Germany you fighting for : your country or attempt to impose herself upon your King? You cannot be fight- other nations and to bestride the ing for both, since the welfare of earth like a colossus, is an ideal Company. your King now means the ruin of vanished civillisation, when of your country; and the welfare the dawning culture of mankind! of your country implies participa- still stood surrounded by huge

can the Fatherland share in that time; cease to destroy the women and children of Belgium and labour was passed. Of us all, you and your allies France, Serbia and Rumanis; alone support the feudal system but use your weapons to protect in Europe. Austria, that kingdom your own perishing women and

In the Kaiser's Name. Are you satisfied with the method of your present retreat and the commands of the officers of your armies? Who tells you to destroy the apple and pear trees just breaking into bud? Your officers in the Kaiser's name. Who steal the French maidens from their homes and ruin them for their pleasure? Your officers belong to your slave-driving and sensibly by the people

proposed that liquors should be the destruction planned for her The Tear of Russia was a tender the stocks we have and are likely p.m. Centre Section M.G. Coy. eliminated from the programme. by her ruthless enemies? It is a tyrant contrasted with the man to have at our disposal, or shall at Kenuedy Road Range. Tests The proposition was supported by lie, Field-grey, and in an instant who suffered Turkey to destroy a we be compelled to ration you by of Elementary Training Grouping Mr. Little, but the general sense your own shrewd reason can million Armenians and bade you compulsion on tickets, to subject (Min. Ammun.) At 5.30 p.m. of the meeting was in favour of prove it is a lie. Does a naked outrage Belgium; but he has the housewives of this country to Artillery Battery at Belchers leaving the matter to be dealt man set out to destroy one covered vanished, because a great nation long waiting in queues, to the Battery; Right Section M. G. with by the general committee, with armour? If England and could no longer endure that risk of receiving insufficient sup. Coy. and Scouts Company and this course was adopted. To France, Russia and Italy had plague-spot in its vitals. Are you, plies—all the trouble and an at Headquarters under unit this committee was also left the plotted to destroy your Father- who were wont to laugh at reac- noyances of tickets, inspection, Commanders (Aiming Instructappointment of the various sub- land, those countries would have tionary, barbaric Russia, greater espionage? made ready to do so. All were as- barbarians yourselves? Are you "Now, in my humble judgment Left Section M.G.Coy., and The following gentlemen were leep when your war trumpets so sunk in superstition and there will be no need for that if Civil Service Company on Mutignorance that you can magnify everybody plays the game, ray Parade Ground under Unit committee:-The Hon. Thomas It was Germany that was armed a man into a god and take his. There is no reason why there Commander (Tests of Elemen-Sammons, Drs. Downs, Stevenson, to the test, 1 of the rest of scourge on your shoulder and his should be a single hungry mouth tary Training); Mounted Section Clean Fatigue. Machine Gun Lacy, Lincoln, Findley and Par- Europe. In Germany were the infamous commands to your in all these islands, despits the at Jockey Club Stables; Recruits Section at Wellington Barrack and the section of ker, Reve. S. I. Woodbridge and largest armies, best equipped, hearts? Can you still worship exhaustion of the potato supply, of all units on Marray Parade Bow-street, Clerkenwell, Eer, neve. S. L. Woodbridge and largest similes, best equipped, thearts? Only you better working of the graven image, that the sense if you—every man and woman—ground under Corpla. Grimes,

> Merriman, Sprague, Burns, C. infinite and horrible destruction between Russia and destruct and I want them to start every Artillery Battery at Belchers Seitz, Hykes, Dunning, Lock- -wespons concerning which the ion-her army that rose, with Monday morning with this good Battery; Stretcher Bearer Section and in Germany was a theory of inspiration, to the task of her of bread in the course of this week Signalling Section "A" and "B" Order. war unfamiliar to civilization—a salvation. Do likewise, and than I ate in normal times. It classes at Happy Valley. theory that mankind fondly save your Fatherland from seems a simple thing, doesn't itthose who have deliberately and without 2 oz. of bread per residents proceed by launch from instant. for impossible crimes; they have and the parson who este a

outraged country while you can,

EMBEZZLEMENT.

Company's Money Cambled

Before Mr. J. R. Wood, at the Police Court this morning, a compradore was charged with embezsling the sum of \$2,500, the property of the Wong Kee

It was stated by Inspector Brazil that the defendant had been employed as a compradore 8.17. on one of the Wong Kee's boats. The man absconded, but on his ed 2 months leave from 9 6. 17 return to Hongkong he was seen by the manager and arrested.

Defendant admitted the theft, 6, 17. power they have so terribly abused government a survival of svil and said he had gambled it sway. Sentence of six months' hard granted 19 days' leave from 12. 6.

#### TO BEAT THE KAISER.

Bread Waste is Bullet Waste to-day."

Mr. Kennedy Jones, the Director General of Food Economy. delivered a speech of great interest to his constituents at Stroud

Beferring to the urgent need of in the Kaiser's name. Would you the hour that the consumption of feel any more pleasure in destroy- bread should be rigorously ing these innocent children than economised, Mr. Kennedy Jones you do in cutting down their said: "The situation to-day is fathers' apple trees and burning this: Our stock of foodstuffs are their cottage homes? No, you low, the U-boat is something more quarters. would not, for you are brothers than a menace; it is an active and fathers of maidens as inno- and actual danger. Take it from cent and pure as they. You me, the shortage of toursge, a would shadder at each a filthy the partial failure of the world's crime, and feel 'no pleasure in it. wheat crop, the depredations of But the men set over you relish the destardly submarine - all this damnable cowardice as a combine to bring about a privilege. Why? Because they shortage in wheat, and four have been nurtured in villainy, which, unless it is faced boldly caste, and are of the tribe of your this country, may b ing us near Crown Prince-the worthless to the edge of disaster. This man who will reign over you is the whole question which we get through to September with

to see in Great Britain are s.m. Belchers 6" Section at and "B" Coys. and recruits on

own resolute endeavour to save Coy. and Civil Service Coy. "I anderstand that our means your Fatherland from the dest- on Murray Parade Ground under of fighting submarines is increase. lation of this new ice-cap now Unit Commanders (Tests of ing daily, and, without giving with creeping over her. Save your Elementary Training); Becruite details, I can may that the flumber lives for the honour and welfere of all units on Murray Parade of submarines put out of action mind, and in time, as it by accident, wonted and or serbia. The life-blood of of your country, and sacrifice Ground (C. S. H. Witchell, in the last few days has risen in them no longer to a false prin- Ocrpla. Grimes and Edgoumbe a very satisfactory manner." ciple, a false theory of human will attend); Signalling Section Copenhagen. May 11.—The loss quicker eye for detail than men, gone for persuasion, is delivered thought and consider what most bosom; the crimes committed on progress, and a false and per- "B" class at R. A. Theatre; Artiljured throne.

You are fighting for the victory Detail. no time or trouble to get at the nearest Y. M. C. A. but, to be now denied you; it is friendship, women who will blush and hide of Death. Lift your eyes to the On duty 24th instant, Scoute light and learn that you're is will Company; 25th, Scouts Company; work been done by women police may be hoped, when he learns the hand of your fellow-man, them; your vineyards and or the power to save Germany from 26th, Right Section M. G. Comthe forest of destruction that pany; 27th, Sconts Company bave thrust her into ench deadly 28th. Boonts Company; 29th, woman of that borough holds the rank of probation officer in Perhaps, when the war is over, Your Chancellor has told us to the worship of God.

addition to her own.

Your Chancellor has told us to the worship of God.

End it, as only you can. Bs in her heart, not on her frontiers. 30th, Scouts Company.

VOLUNTEER ORDERS.

Corps Orders issued to-day by Major D. Macdonald, V.D. Bisto :-

granted leave for the duration of decided to provide bathing the war from 9:h June, 1917.

No. 2000 Pte. R.H. Sharp is decided to give to local war funds granted 6 months' leave from 12. the one thousand dollars

No. 1218 Gr. A. Forbes is grant-No. 1913 Spr. E.M. Sleigh granted 6 months' leave from 9.

Nr. 2048 Pte J.H. Scott is

No. 1514 Sgr. R.J. Rawlinson is granted 2 months' leave from 16. 8, 17.

Transferred. No. 1817 Spr. F. Meade is transferred from Engineer Company to Civil Service Company,

dated 15th instant. Attached. No. 1852 Pte. A. H. Compton is

Engineer Company.

attached to Belchers 6" Section,

dated 8.6.17.

Detail of Engineer Company duties at Lycemun from 17th to G. C. Moxon. 30th instant is posted at Head-

Promotion. promotion should date from 11. 8. Signalling Section: "A" and "B" 16, instead of as stated therein.

s.m. Artillery Battery at Blake Machine Gon Section at Welling-Pier and proceed by Isunch for ton Barracks at 5.15 p.m. Dress: sub - calibre practice. Dress: Clean Fatigue. Mounted Section Khaki drill jackets and trousers at Polo Ground at 5:30 p.m. and helmets.

Monday 18th instant: -At 5.00

ion and Firing Instruction);

Wednesday, 20th instant:-At

Thursday, 21st instant, -At5.30

Friday 22nd instant. -At 7.30 Headquerters under Unit Com- week show a certain improvement mander (Aiming instruction and in the situation, says Marcel Firing instruction); Centre Hatin, a usually well-informed Section and left Section M. G. writer on the subject. He adde :lery Battery at Belchers Battery.

FOR WAR FUNDS.

Mr. Ho Kom-tong's Generosity.

Mr. Ho Kom tong informs and No. 2078 Gr. J.E. White is that, as the Government has now the facilities at North Point, he has which he had intended spending to on the bething scheme. One balf of the sum will be given to the teroplane Fund and the balance to the Cigarette and Tobsoco Fund.

This further instance of Mean Ho Kom tong's conrectoristic munificence will, we are sure, be deeply appreciated.

#### VOLUNTEER RESERVE ORDERS.

Order No. 35, issued to-day. by Major Wakeman, Commanding H.K.V.B., states;

Detail. On duty from the morning of Sanday, the 17th June, to the morning of Sunday, the 24th June, "B" Coy. H. K. V. R. Orderly Officer, 2nd, Lieut.

Next for duty, H.K.V.O. Parades.

Monday, 18th instant :- Recruits on the Oricket Ground at Reference Corps Order No. 4of 515 p.m. under Instructor Sergt. 6.17. Corpl. A. J. J. Martin's Oxberry. D. ees: Drill Order. Classes at Volunteer Headquarters at 5.15 p.m. and "O" class at Volunteer Hearquarters at 5.30 Sunday, 17th instant:-At 8.15 p.m Dress: Clean Fatigue.

> Dress: Drill Order. Tuesday, 19th instant:-"A" and "B" Coys. on the road out side the Orderly Bom at 5.15 p.m. Kowloon and Taikoo Sections on the Pulo Ground at 5.30 p.m.

Dress: Drill Order. Wednesday, 20th instant -Recruits on the Cricket Ground 5.15 p.m. under Instructor Sergt.

Oxberry. Dress: Drill Order. Thursday, 21st instant; Signalling Section: The whole Section will parade at Happy Valley for Sistion Work. Fall in at Monument 5.30 p.m. Dress: Mounted Section at Polo Bank at 5.30 p.m. Dress: Drill Order Friday, 22ad instant:-" Room at 5.15 p.m. Kowloon and l'aikoo Sections on the Polo Ground at 5 30 p.m. Dress: Drill

Saturday, 23rd instant:-nil.

Promotion. No. 289 Corpl. V. W. Daniel is promoted Sergeant in the Machine Gun Section with effect from lith

Strength. No. 608 Lee. Upl. H. Palmer reverts to the ranks at his own

SUBMARINES

Increased Number of U-Bost Reported Destroyed.

Section at Paris, May 11.—Both French

of two prominent German submarine commanders, in addition to several previously reported. was disclosed in a Reichstag speech yesterday. The men named were Lieusenant Commit ders Wagener and Bust, who ware the enlogical by Herr Phones of the Por Control party to control to the control of the cont 

#### GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS.

left to chance. Ships are to be Mr. Edison's Submarine Detector. Saturday. On being charged, he sem Ships for the Allies. The United States Covernment manufactured just as are automo- One of the most important in- said: "I did not fail to proceed has awarded to the Foundation biles and other articles that are ventions Thomas A. Edison is at to sea in the ship at all. I Company of New York's contract standardised, and in order to present endeavouring to perfect left the ship on the Monday pretop building an indefinite num carry out this plan the vessels is a submarine detector, by which vious to the 6th. I didn't intend before wooden ships, part of the will have straight sides and flat U boats can be detected by sound going back in her, and I sent a first which is to "bridge" the seas decks. The question of armine transmission from a long distance message to the captain to that entrying food munitions, and sup- them is uncertain," he replied at sea. Mr. Elison considers effect with the other three men. plies to our Allies, says the New "It is a matter for the Govern that his work has not progressed Witness told him he knew per-Times of April 29. Tomor ment to decide. I believe that far enough yet for any details to feetly well he was on a running for more than 1,000 men will be they will be built capable of be made known, but if his inven- agreement, and that it was the put to work building the plant mounting guns, but of that matter tion succeeds he has no doubt proper thing for him to give 24 near the city, which, when it is I am not authorised to speak." that aubmarine defence will be hours notice. He replied yes, running at maximum espacity, The building of wooden ships revolutionised and the terror of know that. Witness received will be able to turn out one ship capable of bearing the strain of the U beats ended at one blow. O'Neill in custody from the Suaready for service every ten days. rough weather on the Atlantic, and, The plant will occupy 55 scree, still be of sufficient size to carry with 1,500 feet of water frontage, considerable cargo, is one that one of the smaller Dutch concerns, on Thereday night and I could'ut Everything has been in readiness has been the subject of dispute pays a dividend of 100 per cent., get a train on Good Friday for some time for the signing of among shipping men, but the an increase of 60 per cent, as morning until 8 o clock. When the contract, it is said; and the designers of the wooden craft are compared with the previous year. I got to S ath Shields the ship : builders, the material makers, and sure they will be able to do This was due large'y to the pro- had gone. My bag and provithe transportation companies iffective corvice. The plans have firable employment of the steamers sions were on board. D. vine have worked out a scheme of been carefully gone over by the Terechelling and Texal in the told the bench that be burt his comperation. The result will be, Government architects, and are trade with North and South ankle, and was unfit to go on the it is said, that the work will begin said to meet the approval of American ports, despite the fact vessel; it was not better yet. The as though at the firing of a start- Major Gen. Goethals. It is be that a certain amount of grain bench imposed a fine of \$5 each. in gun. The right of way on lieved, moreover, by those who had to be carried for account of .- Journal of Commerce, all railroads will be given to the are to build the first that the the Dutch Government at rates msterials needed for the work. problem of building ships large lower than those ruling in the The land on which the plant enough to make them economical open market." will spring up was leased to the has been solved. This accomplish- United States Seizure of German Mize, the Commissioner of Chi-Government and the Foundation ment, if successful, will open up Company for a neminal sum by great resources in shipbuilding. Joseph P. D.r., the real estate The standardisation of parts and States declaration of war against under the heading of "Shipping": mar, of this city. The plant will the simplification of construction Germany, the large flact of Ger- -The entries amounted to 831 be up and the ways ready for the will mean that the labour employlaying of the keels of the first ten ed will not have to be as skilled Plips by the end of May. When as were the ship carpenters of it is working at top speed 3,000 the olden days. men will be employed working Increased Dock Dues at Bristol. this fleet of steamers, it was felt gives a total shipping of 1.704 in day and night shifts. Frank-Remington, President of would be under the supervision of the Government and under Covernment guard. The first

versel will be the pattern for the others, and this will take longer in building than the rest. Standardisation will be the secret of speed in construction, and the plane worked out by the Government experts call for the standardisation of every part of the Tessel. While ten are under consunction on the ways manifter piece, all ready to be titted difficulty. together just as portable houses

Cost of Naval Defence. are now built. The pattern ship, w Considering the vast work they according to present plane, will de ready to take the water within are engaged in, the comparative sinety days after the keel is laid cheapness of naval defence is and will be ready to take on cargo greatly to be wondered at. We about a month and a balf later, learn, says the Navy, that the White this in going on nine others | war at present is costing nearly will be approaching completion, seven million pounds a day, and and the keel of the eleventh laid of that, the cost of maintaining down se the first leaves the ways, the Navy is less than one-twelfth, one recel will be completed or £1.79,238 a day for the year. ver days, according to This fact should be remembered. resent estimates, it means that as it is the Navy that makes it by the time the pattern ship is possible for this country to wage ready for service nine others will the war at all. According to the be simost ready to go into com- Auditor General's report on the mission. It was roughly estimated Navy Appropriation Account for by President Remington that the the year 1915-16, appears an item that of each versel would be of £5,090, which has been \$350,000. He anticipated no shandoned as irrecoverable, as it trouble in getting either material represents public money in vessels for construction or the engines. lost during the war; but as In the present plant of the Foun- £3,700 was in Treasury notes, it dation Company are many carpen- is not to this extent a loss to the ters, caulkers, and others capable Exchequer.

of shipbuilding, for the Company The "Range "of the U-Boat. already maintains a shipbuilding The appalling difficulty with plant in which it has constructed which the Admiralty is confronted ith own fleet of small craft. The is meeting the submarine menace wooden vessels will be of 3,000 will be apparent from reflection gross tone each and have a cargo upon the vast distances over Firying capacity of about 5,000 which the enemy U-boats now tions. They will be 290 feet long, operate, says the Navy to hand. 46 feet beam, and have a draft of The submarine attacks merchant 17 feet. They will be equipped ships by indirect as well as direct with reciprocal engines and it is methods. The laying of mines estimated, will have a speed of in frequented ocean routes is not wixteen knots an hour. "We less perilous to our shipping than have only just closed the con- the direct assault by gunfire and trect," said President Remington, torpedo. Mices have been laid and for that reason I cannot go at Colombo, off the Gulf of Aden into its terms. The Company is and around the Cape. Indeed, it not only going to build ships for is obvious that the mine-laying the Atlantic trade, but we are siso submarine is now finding its investigating facilities on the way into all the cceans, and Pacific Coast, for the Govern- leaves its deadly burden bement is figuring on putting up hind it in waters in which our another plant there. We have merchantmen travelled hitherto timber already for present needs in perfect security. The Admirand the railroads will bring in alty are developing their plans material just as fast as we need with great energy, and the Navy Mr. Remington was asked may be trusted to do its work whether green timber would le with its characteristic efficiency, med in the construction, and he but the process of crippling replied that green timber could world wide piracy necessarily he employed in shipbuilding. In takes time. We are confident This connection it is figured that a the resources of the British sailor million and a quarter feet of tim- are fully equal to the exigencies will be required for each of the new crisis; but those who host. This will be sawed up on the guide the fortunes of the Navy where great mills are to be must be left free to accomplish ceture of the work. "We ere their task in the fulness of time. going, sheed in the dark." The public must be patient and continued Mr. Remington. "The must give its whole hearted conlans have been yery intelligently fidence and sympathy to the aid out, down to the very smal- Board of Admiralty and our ever-

detail, and nothing has been vigilant seamen afficiat.

Triton Company.

-Journal of Commerce. he received Device in custody rates, both single and return, by from the Sanderland police on 25 per cent.

derland police this morning; his The Triton Steamship Company excuse was: I lost the last train

Tientsin Shipping.

In his report of the trade of

Tientain for 1916, Mr. F. W. nese Maritime Customaat that port, At a direct result of the United makes the following observations man steamers which were lying steamers, with an aggregate tonin ports of the United States nage of 961,292 tons; and the were immediately interned. When clearances to 873 steamere, news was received concerning representing 957,149 tons, which The B. istol Corporation recently in certain British shipping circles vessele, with a tonnage of 1,918 authorised the Docks Committee | that the United States Government 441 tons, as against 1 962 vessels, to increase the dues on ships and might encounter a difficulty in with a tonnage of 2,233,403 tons, H'phreys Est. goods by 5 per cent, to meet the finding a sufficient number of for the previous year. Arrivals K'loon Lands increased labourage charges due qual fied shipmasters and officers and departures under every flag to the recent advance in dock to navigate them. The council showed a decrease, which was workers' pay. It was mentioned of the Mercantile Marine Service most noticeable under the Chinese that some of the leading people Association thereupon got into flag, because at the beginning Ewos using the docks instead of tooch with the United States Em. of summer the Chinese Govern- Kung Yiks Liverpool or other ports were bissy and placed at their disposal ment appropriated five of the Shai Cottons alarmed by the increases, particu. the services of the masters and regular coasting steamers of the Yangtszepoos 1 rly in werehousing. They had officers, members of the associa- China Merchants Steam Navigabeen assured that the sivance tion, who were unemployed at the tion Company for use as military was only temporary, and would moment. The secretary of the transports carrying troops to the be reconsidered after the war, association is now in receipt of a South, and they were absent from This was definitely stated in the letter from the United States Em- the port until towards the end of reacturers in other parts of the Dock Committee's report, and it basy, expressing appreciation of the year. Doring May the strike country will be turning out piece was hoped this would meet the his kind offer to fornish a list of of the officers and engineers of qualified shir masters and officers the China Coast Guild caused a of British birth who are willing to suspension for two weeks of assist the United States, and stat- British shipping using the port. ing that "this has been referred The Blue Funnel line in summer to the Naval Attache of the suspended the sailing of their re-Embassy to be acted upon." The gular monthly eteamer direct from . secretary of the M.M.S.A. Tower- England to Taku Bar, probably building, Water-street, Liver- because there was insufficient pool, will be pleased to register cargo iffering, and because more the name of any unemployed remunerative freights existed masters and officers who are will; elsewhere. There was a great ing to serve under "Old Glory." lack of tonnage throughout the year for all European porte; and Delaying Admiralty Vessels. allotments of cargo space were Two of four men who caused difficult to obtain. However, the detention of an Admiralty during the first half of the year chartered vessel on the 6th April especially there seemed to be by feiling to be on board at the more ships on the Transpacificproper time were brought before trade than there was cargo offerthe South Shields bench recently. ing, so freights in some instances They were Wm. Devine and Thos. were lower than pre-war rates. O'Neil, and the charge was one This resulted in much more cargo of having failed to proceed to than usual being shipped for sea in the vessel. Mr. Lancaster, America via Japanese ports than of Newcastle, who prosecuted, by coasting steamers to Shangexplained that the wessel was hai for transhipment. The engaged in the Admiralty coast- number of foreign passening trace under six months, gers travelling by coast steamers articles. She was in the Tyne to and from the port decreased prior to the 7th inet, and in from 6,244 in 1915 to 3,053. This spite of orders to the contrary four was due to the chesper and faster of the crew, including the two transport facilities offered by the defendants, left the vessel, and did railways to the South, and to not return, causing the vessel to meet this competition the steamer be detained for a considerable companies toward the end of the time. Lieut.-Sergt. Wilson said year lowered all their passage

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Laundries	b	\$3,40
U. Waterboats		\$13
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8.00 P.M. LOU P.M. 10 NIGHT CARS. 8.80 F.M. and 9 F.M. 930 to 11.00 F.M. overy half hour. 11.00 P.M. to 11.45 P.M. every quarter of, an hour.

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One of the most remarkable GEO. feats of fearless daring yet reported in the war is recorded in a long list of awards issued recently as a supplement to the London Gartte. 13/28536 Pts. D. Hill (D.C.M.) pu; bis band over the musz'e of a trench morter gun as it was fired in order to save the shell from histing a man who was inadvertent y standing in front of the guo. . ..

of men picking up live shells. Hongkong Government, to sell by public auction at 12 o'clock S:7992 Pte. (acting L/Opl.) H. C. (NOON) on TUESDAY the 31st Barrell (D. C. M.) seis:d a shell day of July, 1917, at his sales which had started to fuse and rooms, Duddell Street, threw it up the chait of a gan , THE VALUABLE , LEASEemplacement, where it im- HOLD PROPERTY situate at mediately exploded. 10460 The Peak, Hongkong and being L/Sgt. G. France seized a riff. Rural Building Lot No. 19. granade, the fues of which was burning, and threw it away, trip- The property consists of :ped up another man who was The piece or parcel of ground working near him and lay on top and premises known as of him until the grenade had |"Lysholt," 104 The Pe k, situate exploded. 404977 L/Opl. J. H. near Mount Gough in the Colony Reves (D.C.M.) picked up a cf Hongkong with an area of b mb the fuse of which was burning, and threw it. over the Euilding Lot No. 19. parapet, where it immediately The lot is held for the unexploded. A similar deed was restormed by 414821 Pie. G. years created therein by an Ward.

#### PUBLIC AUCTION.

"HE Undersigned has received instructions from the Liquidator of Messrs. BLACKHEAD & CO., F. H. HOHNKE, F. J. SCHWARZKOPF, E. H. THIEL and J. E. DANIELSON, in pursuance of an Order of the Hongkong Government to sell by Public Auction at 3 o'clock in the AFTERNOON

#### FRIDAY

the 7th day of September, 1917, at his Auction Rooms in Duddell Street.

VALUABLE LEASE-HOLD PROPERTY situate and being Shaukiwan Marine Lot No 1 and known as Blackhead's Scap Works. In One Tot.

(95.80) square fert or thereabouts 209. and consists of level ground with a rea wall in good condition on the water front. On the property piece of ground abutting on Batstands a Scap Factory and build- tery Street and Fourth Street comprising two Godowns, one contains an area of 4500 Square with coolie quarters over, a Feet. Manager's House, a Boiler and

wo Wooden Sheds and a Tank. residue of a term of 999 years of May 1888. from August 1890. The Crown! rent is \$440 per annum. The 460. rafes \$167,50 per quarter.

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at the same time . Particulars and Conditions of Sale may be had from: Messrs. DEACON, LOOKER,

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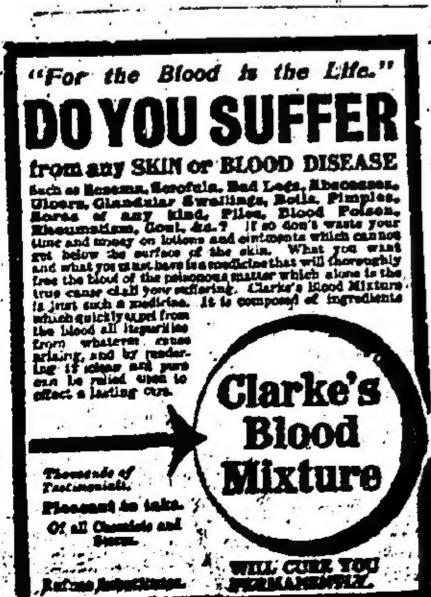
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Mr GEO. P. LAMMERT, The Auctioneer Hongkong, 8th June, 1917.

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expired residue of a term of 75. indenture of Crown Lease dated the 23rd day of April, 1896. The Annual Crown Re:t is

The further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Wilkinson & Griet. Solicitors for the Liquidators or

to the undersigned. GEO. P. LAMMERT. Auctionéer.

HE Undersigned has received instructions from the Liquidator of Messrs. WITZKE & CO. in pursuance of an Order of the Hongkong Government to sell by Public Auction at 12 o'clock (NOON).

MONDAY the 27th day of August, 1917; at his Sales Rooms; Duddell

Street, Hongkong. ALL the piece of ground situate at Yaumati, Kowloon, in the Colony of Hongtong and registered in the Land Office as The property has an area of KOWLOON INLAND LOT NO:

In One Lot The property consists of a gs in connection therewith (near the Praya) in Kowloon and

The Lot is held for the unex-Machine Hou e, three Iron Sheds, pired residue of a term of 75 years created therein by an Indenture The property is held for the of Crown Lease dated the 4th day

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#### FRIDAY

the 31st day of August, 1912 at their Auction Rooms, at No. Des Vœux Road, Central. THE VALUABLE LEASE.

HOLD PROPERTY situate and being Inland Lots Nos. 611, 612, 66. and 653. Victoria, Hongkong. In Two Lots.

Lot One consists of the pieces in the Land Office as Inland Lots Nos. 611 and 662 together with Godown No. 125 Wanchai Read, situate thereon.

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prised in L. t One is, 5,500 square feet. The Crown rent is \$70 per annum: The rates are \$52 per quarter. ---

The property comprised in Lot Two has a similar area and is subject to Crown rent and rates of similar amounts.

and stone and is three storeys in height with a large tiled roof containing an attic storey. Each years or thereabouts of the term created by the Crown Lease thereof.

Particulars and Conditions of Sale may be had from :-

Messrs. DEACON, LOOKER. 1 Des Vœux Road Central, Solicitors for the Liquidator,

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Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.15 inch. Total since January 1st. 22.55 inches. against an average of 30.96 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 14 HOURS ENDING AT NOON TO-MOBBOW District. Forecast.

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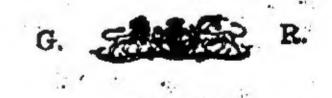
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